

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Donald L. Wolfe

Acting Director of Public Works

LOS ANGELES COUNTY WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. 29, MALIBU EMERGENCY REPAIR OF 30-INCH-DIAMETER HIGH PRESSURE TRANSMISSION WATER MAIN

On November 8, 2004, a leak occurred in the 30-inch-diameter transmission water main at 16321 Pacific Coast Highway in Malibu. A. A. Portanova and Sons, Inc., was called to assist District staff to repair the leak. The leak repair and the temporary paving were completed on November 10, 2004, at an estimated cost of \$70,000. Due to the holidays and the recent rain storms, Caltrans has not granted us permission to close the travel lane on Pacific Coast Highway to complete this permanent paving. This work will be completed as soon as we are granted permission from Caltrans at an additional estimated cost of \$20,000.

A. A. Portanova and Sons, Inc., is one of five as-needed, on-call emergency contractors with contracts approved by your Board on December 1, 2003. We committed to reporting to your Board all emergency repairs carried out under these contracts.

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cc: Chief Administrative Office

County Counsel Executive Office